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Weekend and Holiday Closure of Visitor Information Center

Van Buren, MO – Beginning Saturday, November 19th, Ozark National Scenic Riverways' Visitor Information Center in Van Buren will be closed on weekends and federal holidays.

"Park visitation has dropped significantly with the cooler weather and as a cost savings measure, the park decided to close the building on weekends and federal holidays," says Superintendent Reed E. Detring. The building will remain open for business Monday – Friday, 8:00 am to 4:30 am. Upcoming holiday closure dates include: Thursday, November 24th (Thanksgiving), Monday, December 26th (Christmas) and Monday, January 2nd (New Years).

For more information, phone (573) 323-4236 during business hours Monday through Friday 8:00 am to 4:30 pm or visit the park's website at www.nps.gov/ozar.

Ozark National Scenic Riverways preserves the free-flowing Current and Jacks Fork Rivers, the surrounding natural resources, and the unique cultural heritage of the Ozark people.

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